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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Takeshi Hoshida et al.  
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Filed: May 10, 2001  
Group No.: 2633  
Examiner: Nathan M. Curs  
Notice of Allowance Mailed: June 14, 2004  
Confirmation No.: 5873  
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DEMULTIPLEXING  
NON-INTENSITY MODULATED WAVELENGTH  
DIVISION MULTIPLEXED (WDM) SIGNALS

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**INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

In a telephone conference on June 9, 2004, Applicants agreed to change the dependency of Claim 21 from Claim 20 to Claim 19 as indicated in the "Interview Summary" provided by the Examiner in the Notice of Allowance. Although Applicants believe no fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,  
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